Remarks

Claims 1-61, 63-66, and 68-171 remain pending in the application. Claims 1 and 45 were amended as shown above. The claims were amended to more fully clarify the invention. No new matter has been added by the amendments above. Favorable reconsideration is respectfully requested in light of the above amendments and the following comments.

The Examiner objected to the drawings because Figure 37 is asserted to be two drawings. Applicants include herewith a proposed drawing correction that renumbers the two figures "Figure 37a" and "Figure 37b".

Claims 1-4, 7, 8, 11, 12, 14, 16-21, 24-26, 32, 33, 38, 39, 42, 44, 46-51, 53, 60, 61, and 63-65 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as being anticipated by Wang (U.S. 6,418,258). Applicant respectfully traverses this rejection.

Claims 5, 6, 9, 10, 13, 15, 22, 23, 41, and 43 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Wang (U.S. 6,418,258). Applicant respectfully traverses this rejection.

Applicant respectfully submits that the rejections under both 35 U.S.C. § 102 and 103 should be withdrawn because the elements of claim 45, which was not rejected, have been incorporated into claim 1. Therefore, the remaining rejected claims, which are dependent on claim 1 are also now in condition for allowance.

Conclusion

In view of the amendments and comments presented herein, favorable reconsideration in the form of a Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested.

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